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WEEK IN WASHINGTON.

Chaplain Frederick F. Sherman, for some years a member of the Episcopal Church, resigned from the Navy on Saturday and was Church by Cardinal Satolli, Mr. Sherman is married, and is a son of Judge Sherman, of the Superior Court of Massachusetts. He was for some time aboard the cruiser Chieago, on the European station, but for about a year bad been Chaplain of the naval training station at Newport, R. I. He came here on Tuesday and went into retreat at Georgetown tailege, and after examination his toception into the Catholic Church followed.

Minister at Constantinople, arrived in Washington last night, and to-day reported his arrival at the State Department, lie had a long interview with Assistant Secretary Adec. duct of the branch of the diplomatic work of just go you a ten." the Department including Turkey, and described to him the conditions existing in Torkey when he left the country. Later he saw Secretary Olney for a short time. A fuller exchange of views between them was left to further interviews. Mr. Terrell would not say whether he intended to return to Constantinople.

PUESDAY, APRIL 7 .- United States Consul Downs at Amsterdam writes to the Secretary ward the collection of what are known as "old Dutch estates." "For the past three months," says the Consul, "inquiries on this subject are so numerous as to almost baffle re- | bappened." plies and threaten to interfere seriously with the regular busness of the office. The 'Auneke Jans' estate, the 'Cronkheit' estate, the 'Van Cot' estate, are some of the fancy titles supposed to represent millions-actually "unclaimed millions' are alleged to be deoriginated in the train of some rascally speculator or speculators."

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8 .- Four contested election cases were decided by House Elections fied with legislative work. Committee No. 3. In only one case was the report adverse to a member now holding the seat, that of Murray against Eliot, from the First South Carolina, which is favorable to Murray. The other cases were: Johnson against Stokes, Seventh South Carolina, in Texas, in favor of Abbott; Ratcliff against Williams, Fifth Mississippi, in favor of Williams. In the last case the contestant did not make an appearance, and minority reports will be filed in all the others,

Cuban delegation in the United States, made | being finished. public a letter received from Gen. Gomez, the insurgent leader, regarding war conditions on the island. He says: "The war continues more active and bard on account of the force character which Gen, Weyler has given to it. Our wounded are followed and assassinated cruelly. He who has the misfortune to fall into the hands of the Spanish troops recishes without fail. The peaceful country people only find death and dishono. We have a great military advantage over the enemy in the incapacity of the majority of Weyler's Generals. The false official reports of supposed victories with which they sprically pretend to deceive themselves, their Government, and the world, contribute to the speedy triumph of the revolution. No human work which has for

firm or lasting," which an old soldier was concerned, but not as the criminal, was tried in court to-day. William Collect made application on Der. 9, 1-92, for pension, impersonating one Willisted in the Antunen of 1863, in Co. A. 1st D. C. C. T. He represented himself as unable to perform manual labor because he had lost the use of his left eye from a cut on the cleek by a saber, and had rhermatism, smon hir enough until the real Johnson also tunde application, when the false pensioner was locked up and gathered into the meshes of the law. It did not take a jury long to find him guilty to-day.

SATURDAY, APRIL 11.-It was stated to day that Canada has consented to take charge of the tree Indians, and the present outlook is that all Crees in the United States will be deported within the next few weeks. Gov. Richards has received a letter from A. T Traigert, Commissioner of Indian Affairs for the Northwestern Territories of the Dominion of Canada, stating that his Government was willing to take charge of all Cree Indians, requesting that the same be delivered to him not later than May 1. Gov. Rickards sent Traigert's communication to Secretary Olney with the request that he accept the Canadian Government proposition.

CEAT OF THE CORRIDORS.

He had many visitors during the day, includclimate. The statement has been repeatedly parole and dat was de end of de whole thing." made that Mr. Whitney's visit was due to a desire to consult the President, Secretary Lamont and leading Democrats of the Administo himself.

'sa red.

Clarence D. Clark, of Wyoming, who has berome a familiar member of the Senate, is a SUNDAY, MARCH 5,-It was announced that New Yorker, 43 years old. He has lived in Wyoming since 1881, practicing law most of the Robinson, S. S. Burdett, and W. G. Venzey, time since that year. He was appointed a received into the Catholic Church by the Supreme Judge of the State in 1890, but de-Jesuit Fathers of Georgetown College, in this clined the honor. He was elected to the 52d city. He was confirmed at St. Aloysius | Congress, defeating George T. Beck, son of the late Senator Beck, of Kentucky. He was a feated by Henry A. Ceffeen.

great favorite with the newspaper men at the Capitol, told a group of them the other day how he made his maiden speech. He said: "A MONDAY, Apair, 6 -Mr. Terrell, United States gang of newspaper fellows was guying me as of a man's usefulness in Congress, says I. 'Better men than me are not making speeches; but who has been specially charged with the coa- | if you're bettin' that I can't make a speech I'il

> afraid,' and he shows the long green. "What's up in the House, now?' says I.

"Cannon is fightin' an increase for a lighthouse keeper in your district,' says he.

"'I'll go right now,' says I. And in I goes. Weil, you know what happened, 'I told Cannon he didn't know as much about keepin' a of State requesting that the people of the lighthouse as a porcupine does about Ascension United States be warned anew against the Day, and Cannon spread himself all over me. perfect folly of spending time or money to- If he'd known how I come to jump on him I'il bet he'd laughed. Then I goes out and the stakeholder hands me the stuff. That's how it

week to the effect that Speaker Reed would retire at the close of the present session and of peace. The truest and best men the country representing nothing. These estates do not engage in the practice of law. While it is true produces only should be placed in the Capitol exist. They are myths, will-o'-the-wisps, that Mr. Reed six years ago was imbued with | and White House, fake. The Bank of Helland, in which the a desire to achieve success in private life as a posited, does not exist. Careful investiga. lawyer, he finally decided not to cut loose from tion induces the belief that these estates his old associations. Mr. Reed's friends now say that he has never seriously reconsidered the matter. They authoritatively deny the rumor, and say that Mr. Reed is entirely satis-

The members of the Second Corps Association have proposed to very appropriately honor their old commander, Hancock, on May 12. favor of Stokes; Kearby against Abbott, Fifth At that time, the anniversary of Hancock's victory in 1864, the Second Corps captured the salient at Spottsylvania. There will be a parade. Gen. Francis A. Walker will be invited to deliver an oration, and the granddaughter of Pensions. THURSDAY, APRIL 9 .- President Palms, of the of Hancock asked to unvail the statue, now

Senator Voorbees, of Indiana, takes great pride in the work of the new Congressional Library, for he introduced the original bill, He fought unceasingly for its passage. In an interview a few days ago he is quoted as saying: "I feel preat gratification-some pride, perhaps, justifiable, I hope-at the approach-Congressional Library building. Nearly two months ago I called my committee together in full meeting with Ger. Casey and Capt. Green, present, and we there prepared an amendment to the urgent deficiency bill, and I reported its base falseness or infamy can be either it to the Senate, making a final appropriation of \$480,000 for the splendid work to be finished FRIDAY, APAIL 10 .- A case of fraudulent a year hence. This provision is now a law. representations to the Pension Office, in The Washington Monument, the State, War and Navy building and the Congressional Labrary will stand forever as imperishable monuments to Gen. Casey's peerless ability and liam H. Johnson, and claiming to have on- his rigid integrity. Bernard R. Green has, however, been his faithful disciple and assistant for 30 years, and will worthily finish his last great undertaking. When completed, that Library will stand during the long ages that mentalgia, and other things. Matters went are to come as the most magnificent and en- \$250,000; preservation and repair of fortificaduring home for the tooks of the world ever tions, \$50,000; plans for fortifications, \$5,000; creeted on the face of the globe. The entire cost of the structure will be \$6,500,000, less \$50,000, covered back into the Treasury as that much saved upon the original estimate."

> "I recently met in Richmond one of the jurous who sat on the jury that tried Jeff tion Board, \$100,000; Fortress Monroe sewer-Davis for treason, the first mixed jury in the age system, \$9,860. country," said a veteran who has been visiting the old battlefields,

"His name is Louis Lindsey. He is a negro and he lives in Katherine street, with his wife and two daughters. He sells newspapers, Time has dealt leniently with him, and with | fession ever since. the exception of a slight stoop about the shoulders and a shuffling motion of the feet when he walks, that certain accompaniment of encroach-Benstor Allen has introduced a bill providing ing years, he is hale and hearty. In stature he for the restoration of the names of widows of is about five feet and eight inches tall. His soldiers to the pension-rolls after the death of hair and mustache, while black, are intertheir second husbands, who by reason of a sec- mingled with gray. Heavy cyclrows lend a ond marriage have been dropped from the pen- poculiar expression to his eyes, which are deeply set in his wrinkled countenance."

Senator W. V. Allen last week wrote a letter "The petit jury that tried President Davis to Gov. Holcomb, of Nebraska, declining to be for high treason against the United States a candidate on the Populist ticket for Presi- Government was empaneled in the Spring of dential honors. He explained that others in | 1867, in the City of Richmond, in the Custombusiness would not permit of such an arrange- Tenth and Eleventh streets. Chief Justice ment. In Nebraska it has been generally nu- Chase and Judge Underwood presided over the derstood that Allen was a Presidential candi- famous case. There were 24 jurors drawn to try President Davis, bulf of them being negroes - and Lewis Lindsey was among the number. The political gossips were much excited last | Lindsey's account of the argument in the case week by the arrival of William C. Whitney, and the deliberations in the jury-room were exceedingly interesting, although a trifle misty, ing Secretary Carlisle, Senator Smith and but upon one fact his memory was fixed, and others. To all of them Mr. Whitney has stated. In answer to my repeated question as to what so they say, that his visit to Washington at verdict was returned, he replied, 'You see, this time is due to the fact that he is suffering | boss, dar wahn no verdict as I recollects; we from a broachial trouble and came to Washing. jest 'cided as how de best thing was to let de ton for the benefit of the more salphrious President go scot-free, so we jest give him a

During a debate in the House recently, Representative Fischer, of New York, got off a tration and anti-Administration wings of the joke on Mr. Gibson, of Tennessee. The latter, party with regard to the Democratic nomina- who was speaking to his own amendment, is tion, but if so he kept his plans and purposes possessed of enormous lung power, and his voice on this occasion was reverberating in trumpet tones, shaking the swing doors. Sud-The button fad has thoroughly permeated dealy Mr. Fischer arose. "Mr. Speaker," he politics. There are all sorts to be seen at the exclaimed, "I rise to a point of order." "The Capitol nowadays, among them the Quay but- gentleman from New York will state his point ton, with the Senator's face in a keystone; the of order," replied the Chair, "My point is Allison button, colored yellow, because Iowa is this," went on the New Yorker. "A number of the corn State; the McKinley button, resplend- members on this side desire that the gentleent in red, white and blue; the Reed button, man from Tennessee shall speak louder; it is as severely plain and classic as the Speaker's impossible to hear him in this part of the countenance; and now the Cullom button, chamber. Why, even the gentleman sitting which made its appearance yesterday. It wext to him is not catching a word." The bears a portrait of the favorite son of Illinois, Honse, which saw that Fischer was chaffing printed in Line on a white ground, and the Gibson, awaited the result with much interest. legend, "I am for Cullom. Are you?" printed Gibson, who also realized that he was being guyed, turned and looked for a moment at the

The gentleman beside him could not hear him. He was sound asleep.

LEE'S SURRENDER.

The Department of the Potomac last week celebrated the anniversary of Lee's surrender at Grand Army Hall. A number of guests were the hall was well filled. The walls were tastethe guests were many members of Congress and officers of the Army and Navy the gathering including Representatives Cartis, Grosvenor, Lacey, Fenton, Evans, Brosius, Poole, Giliette, and Watson, Gens. Brady, E. W. Whitaker, Robinson, Corp'l Tanner, Gens. Stanton, Ruggles, Vincent, Morgan, Howard, Reynolds, and

Com., John McElroy: S. V. C., A. J. Huntoon; J. V. C., J. F. Raub; Chap., H. S. Stevens; Medical Director, A. E. Johnson; Ass't Adj't Gen. G. M. Husted; Ass't Q.-M. G., A. S. Taber; Judge-Advocate, E. J. Sweet; Mustering Officer, W. H. Decker; Ins., B. F. Chase, assisted by Past Commanders-in-Chief John C. and the Past Department Commanders, Post Commanders, and Captains of the Camps of Sons of Veterans, and comrades of the Department, received their distinguished visitors.

An address of welcome was delivered by Commander McElroy, and Gen, Charles H. chudidate for the 53d Congress, but was de- Grosvenor responded. He said he felt that, owing to reaction, a remarkable percentage of old soldiers had come to Congress, and a still more remarkable percentage of Congress-Representative Crowley, of Texas, who is a men who are very fond of the old soldier. There seemed, also, to be more "Yankee Doodle" and "Hail Columbia" about the party to which he had the honor to belong.

Gen. E. W. Whitaker was Chief of Custer's staff, and received the flag of truce at Auponot making a speech, 'Speechmaking's no sign | mattex. After a preliminary speech be gave his own experiences at Appomattox. He rode back into Lee's camp with the Confederate officer who brought the flag of truce, and brought practically the first news of the surrender back to the Federal army at 9 o'clock "'It goes,' says one of the gang. 'You're in the morning, four hours before the two Generals met in McLean's house and signed the terms of surrender. Gen, Whitaker said that of all the battlefields of the war photographed on his brain, Appomattox was the most

Brig.-Gen. M. R. Morgan, who was Grant's Chief Commissary, is one of about four men now living who was in the McLean house when the articles were signed. He also served under Gen. Lee at the time of the John Brown raid in 1859. He told some interesting ancedotes. Gen. Ruggles said he knew Grant in St. Louis in 1857. He also told several entertaining

Gen. Howard spoke of Appomattox as Grant's objective point. He had thought a great deal about some of the good men who had fought A rumor gained considerable ground last on the other side, but he always asked himself what would have become of the country if they had been successful. It was the same in times Others who took part were Capt, S. R. Strat-

tan, Col. James D. Brady and George H. Little-

ACTION REVERSED. The policy of the Interior Department in cases involving reimbursement to the Government for fraud or mistake of pension claimants is laid down in several rulings of Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reynolds, just promulgated. In these it is held that the Government cannot withhold the pension granted under the act of June 27, 1890, to reimburse itself for moneys erroneously paid as pension money under the general law, when such pension was not procured through fraud or mistake, but was allowed as the result of an erroneous judgment on the evidence. This decision reverses the recent action of the Commissioner

ARMY AND NAVY.

For the first time in many years, there will probably be more vacancies for graduates of the Naval Academy this year than Cadets to fill them. Such a fortunate state of affairs for these young men is unprecedented, and it is not likely to occur again until retirements are more frequent, or war comes along with its train of casualties. Previously there has been hard work to secure sufficient vacancies in all branches of the Navy to accommodate the ing and now assured completion of the great | graduates, and often young men have been honorably discharged with a year's pay as a bains to their disappointed ambition. The unexpected number of places this year is not occasioned by any unusual number of deaths or resignations, and is certainly not through retirement on account of age, but seems due to cents. the rather large number of young officers who who have been compelled to retire on account of physical disabilities.

The Fortifications bill as presented to the House last week recommends specific appropriations amounting to \$5,842,337, and in addition gives authority to the Secretary of War to make contrac's involving the further expenditure of \$5,542,276, under the Engineer and Ordnance Departments, making a total expenditure authorized by the bill of \$11,354,613. The aggregate amount appropriated and authorized by contract under each natural subsea walls and embankments for protection of Bedlow's Island and Fort Schoyler, \$17,975; torpedoes for harbor defense, \$100,000; armament of fortifications, \$5,502,873; proving ground, Sandy Hook, N. J., \$38,000; Watertown Arsenal, Massachusetts, \$43,500; Watervliet Arsenal, New York, \$3,105; Beaccia Arsenal, California, \$4,500; Ordnance and Fortifica-

VETERANS IN THE CITY. George E. Marsh, 52d Mass., Georgetown, Colo, Comrade Marsh is a mining engineer,

war, and has been actively engaged in his pro-Louisiana Acadians.

"There are many such homes in the State. They are a part of Louisiana as it is. In of cotton, cane, rice, corn, sweet potatoes, and a row of tobacco; and flanking the field with fuel and lumber. The rice the farmer thrashes and cleans himself; the corn is pounded for meal in a wooden mortar; the

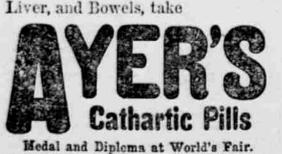
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gentleman beside him. As he did so, his face sweet potatoes are sto ed in a bin for Winexpressed at first surprise, and then disgust. | ter; the cotton is picked and ginned by the wife, who seeds it with her fingers. It is she who spins it and weaves it into cloth, having dyed it with peach-tree leaves and indigo; of this she makes clothing for her family, blankets for the beds, curtains for the windows, and a covering for the floor. The patch of cape gives the family sugar invited to participate in the celebration, and and molases. From his stock of horses the farmer cuts hair from their manes and tails fally decorated with pictures and flags. Among and weaves it into ropes and harness. His beds he makes of the moss gathered in the swamp. His wife milks her cows and makes an occasional pat of butter by shaking the cream in a bottle or gourd. The man cures his own tobacco, and if you visit his little home, made of cypress logs and a mud plaster mixed with moss and kneaded by the feet of himself and his neighbors, he will offer you all these home-made hospitalities."

This, however, is not a true picture of the lowest class of 'Cajan farmers-a dirty, shiftless, good-for-nothing set-any more that it is a true picture of the cultured Acadians of the towns-people who are as proud of their title of 'Cajans as the Creoles are of

An Asthma Cure at Last.

Medical science at last reports a positive cure for Asthma in the remarkable Kola plant, a new botanical discovery found on the Congo River, West Africa. Its cures are really marvelous. Rev. J. L. Combs, of Martinsburg, W. Va., writes that it cured him of Asthma of fifty years' standing, and Hon, L. G. Clute, of Greeley, Iowa, testifies that for three years he had to sleep propped up in a chair, being unable to matter sure, these and hundreds of other cures are sworn to under oath before a notary public, So great is their faith in its wonderful curative powers, the Kola Importing Co., 1164 Broadway, New York, is sending out large trial cases of | will be appointed to perform miracles. the Kola Compound free to all sufferers from Asthma. Send them your name and address on a postal card, and they will send you a large

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THE SPIDER OF TRUXILLO. By Richard lace, Henry Savage, Published by F. Tennyson Neely, New York. Price 25 cents. By the author of My Official Wife, The Masked Venus, and other exciting tales. THE ADVENTURES OF HATIM TAL Trans-

lated from the Persian. Edited by W. R. Alger. Published by Ginn & Co., Boston, Price 50 cents, A series of seven tales, told after the fashion of the Arabian Nights, and relating the adventures of Hatim Tai, a Prince of wonderful virtue and strength, who won the love of beasts and men, and who went about relieving distress. Hatim is supposed to have lived in the sixth century, and to be the Mahometan ideal of a good and powerful man. He seems to have been a trifle dull-witted at times, according to modern Occidental ideas. But his adventures are very interesting and wonderful, and the book, though bespoken for the children, will prove good reading for the elders as well. WASHINGTON: OR, THE REVOLUTION. By Ethan Allen. Published by F. Tenayson Neely, New York. Price 50 cents.

The second part of this drama has been received. The first part was noticed at some length a few months ago. It is a drama full of the spirit of patriotism and loyalty, and deals with the stirring incidents of Revolutionary times. Many interesting Americans, Frenchmen, and Englishmen are introduced.

THE HOUSEBOAT BOYS. By Harry Castlemon. Published by Henry T. Coates & Co., Philadel-phia, Price \$1.25.

story with a moral, and Houseboat Boys is not an exception. It is the story of two plucky Pennsylvania bays who finally won success in a novel way by their energy and perseverance. A FIGHT WITH FATE. By Mrs. Alexander. Published by Lippincott, Philadelphia. For sale by Brentano, Washington, D. C. Price \$1,25. Mrs. Alexander's romances are very popular, and this story of English life will please many readers.

THE CAPTAIN'S ROMANCE. By Ople Rend. for the foundation for their millinery, and add Published by F. Tehnyson Neely, New York. Price 25 cents. A series of interesting tales "from the back-

Magazines and Notes.

Read's stories are always well liked.

The Pansy has a dainty Easter number for the little folks, Lothrop Publishing Co., Boston, Mass. Price 10 cents. Chatterbox comes out in a pretty April cover,

and has the usual stories, verses, pictures and

puzzles to charm the boys and girls. Estes & Lauriat, Boston. Price 5 cents. forces, producing a little magazine of sketches. The artificial flowers are very daintily colored, poems, and notes-not much differing from the Philistine of old. Some of the tales need sharper

wits than mine to discover their meaning, but division of the bill follows: Gun and mortar as a rule the reading matter is easily comprebatteries, \$5,260,000; sites for fortifications, hended, is original and clever. East Aurora, New York. Price 10 cents. The April number of the North American Review opons with a noteworthy article by David A. Wells, entitled Great Britain and the

United States: Their True Relations, Mayo W. Hazeltine thoughtfully discusses Possible Complications of the Cuban Question, and ing. Prof. Frederick Starr, of the University of Chicago, treats in an entertaining paper of Pygmy Races of Men. The anniversary of President Lincoln's death is signalized by Seaton Munroe, who graphically dwells on Recollections of Lincoln's Assassination, and the fourth instalment of Future Life and the Condition of Man Therein, by the Right Hon, W. E. Gladstone, serves to accentuate the interest taken in this remarkable series of articles, and went to Colorado immediately after the Problems of the Transvaal are ably considered by Karl Blind, while T. A. Rickard, State Geolo- | the pity. gist of Colorado, vividly portrays the present Gold Mining Activity in Colorado.

The Easter number of Life is one of the best numbers of that paper ever issued, and this is the fields around the house were small crops | saying a great deal. The cover is by Johnson, in red and olive, and among the leading blackand-white artists represented are Gibson, Wenwas a strip of awamp, furnishing the family | zeil, Toaspern, and Richards. The text matter is especially good.

The Humanitarian for April contains articles on sociological topics of the day. Published

cer, and Cesare Lombroso, on the cover of Appleton's Popular Science Monthly for April, at number, brings his account of Taxation in Literature and History down through the Middle Ages, and shows that squeezing the Jews was then the makeshift for a financial system with many European potentates. Mr. Spencer concludes his series of papers on Professional Institutions with a general review of the sub- | bright-colored taffetas. ject, calling attention to the necessity in past times of domination that now appears irksome to many, and showing how useless are

leading G.A.R. men of California, with fine half tone portraits. It is an exceptionally good number. Published at San Francisco. Price

25 cents. The Catholic World for April has The Shoe in Symbolism, by Rt. Rev. C. P. Maes; The American Museum of 'Natural History, W. Seton; should have needed to teach us the lesson of Phe Most Holy Corporal of Orvieto, Rev. W. Simplicity in arranging flowers. The Japanese Dallow; Alleftia: Its Traditional Import; in insisting upon a single flower in a slender Currier: In the Land of the Jesuit Martyrs, Dr. T. O'Hagan. New York City. Price in a bouquet, in a garden or picture, have finally

25 cents. The Monthly Illustrator and Home and Country of beauty. for April has an abundance of fine illustrations and high-class reading-matter. At 149 Leonard street, New York. Price 20 cents, or \$2

pictures, and puzzles; and, as usual, has a host of bright little stories that are characteristic of its columns. Among other articles of special interest in the recent issue is, " How I Served My Apprenticeship as a Soldier," by Gen. Nelson Miles, with a fine portrait of the General. Another article, "Apprenticeship as a Sailor," by Admiral Stevens, is promised. Boston. Price \$1.75 a year; single copies five cents.



votion and sacrifice among the American women. Recently the Home Secretary-who has the pardoning power-refused to free the woman, claiming that the evidence was all against her.

that possess folks, sometimes taking no more lars for a petted fox terrier, and sometimes | ingly tiresome. driving people from the big world into little communities where their ideas may have full communists, and so on than we every-day folks dream of. Vegetarian and religious communities are not at all rare. In California is a tiny community consisting of three women and a pack-burro, Nancy. The women not only abstain from meat or any animal food whatever, lie down night or day from Astama. The but they refuse to cook their vegetables and Kola Plant cured him at once. To make the fruits. They hold no communication whatever with the masculine beings of this world, and tarianism to so purify themselves that they

At Hall Caine's sister's wedding the bridestrial case by mail free. It costs you nothing, maids were daffull silk freeks with white chiffon fichus and large, white chip hats yield. trimmed with daffodils and white plumes. The bride, of course, was in white satin and



Two of the graceful shapes of this Spring are straw brim. It is trimmed round and round 5 o'clock, we cannot seclude ourselves entirely the crown with fine pink and white blossoms. back, and the hat itself is of brown. Purple and do good Spring service, though they seem a bit over-gay in coloring, and shy ladies cling | them out, to black and brown and straw-color or white the green or purple touches in the flowers. The other hat is a sailor shape, trimmed in woods"-tales of adventure and romance. Opic | front with a big bow of plaid ribbon-blue and white-and with a bunch of buttercups against the crown in the back. In front, in the bow, Wilson's Photographic Magazine for April is, as are quill-shaped leaves," palm leaves," the usual, full of good pictures and interesting milliners call them-but they look more like notes. 853 Broadway, New York. Price 30 the filly of the valley leaves. They are new, pretty, stylish, and gratifying to those who object to feathers for humane reasons.

A new flower this year for hat trimming is called the Monte Carlo daisy. It is like the English garden daisy-a little head of fine pink and white petals, with no yellow show-The Philistine and The Fly Leaf have united ing, or just the least bit way in the center. and a big, nedding bunch of them makes a pretty trimming.

> Black flowers seem to be used very little this season, which is cause for thanksgiving.

Big black hats of lace straw, or of shirred net, are trimmed with a host of pink roses, and are sometimes bewitchingly pretty and becom-

"Nose hats," some of the girls call the new styles that are tilted way forward over the eyes. Is is not a pretty fashion, but many will follow it, because that is the only way they have of proving that they are stylish.

High-crowned sailor hats-which are an abomination-seem to be coming in-more's

Alapaca and serge are as popular fabrics as

On al solutely reliable authority we learn that wrinkles are produced by frowns, grimaces, scowls, shivers, laughs, thoughts, worries, and tempers." There is a story told of a man who happened to call upon a beautiful actress when she was in a mighty temper over somein London. For sale at the book-stalls. Price thing wrong in the performance. Someone who knew how angry the fair lady could be, The names of David A. Wells, Herbert Spen- asked him what he did while she was scolding. "I stayed still and watched her grow old," replied the gentleman.

> Etamine, a material often mentioned in fashion notes, is a thin, transparent stuff, much like our grenadines. It is a favorite material this season in Paris, and is often made up over

Again there is a fancy for all sorts of flowers statutes that do not conform to the natural laws | upon one hat, "Short-backed" sailors are of society. New York. Fifty cents a number, trimmed round the crown with an assortment of daisies, grasses, yellow buttercups, bright The Overland Monthly for April has, among blue bachelor's buttons, and red, red roses, that other very interesting features, a sketch of the | remind one of a bouquet from an old-fashioned

> It is queer that a little brown nation, way off from our Greece and Rome, where originated vase, or in grouping only one kind of blossom succeeded in impressing us with the same idea

We would announce that the magpie combination is still in favor, and black and white The Youth's Companion, the old-time favorite satins, silks, checks, stripes, ribbons, hats, of the children, is full of good stories, poems, ginghams, and lawns are all being employed

> When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she ching to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The Maybrick case still arouses interest, de- | is not a combination of colors that is universally

with, to be rid of the black and magenta combinations. Three women out of every five have worn it. Black dresses have crush collars It is interesting to note the different fads | of magenta velvet, and black hats are trimmed with a bandean and flowers or velvet, of the serious turn than elaborate blankets and col- same bright color, and it grows to be exceed-

Ten girls out of every 12 wear enormous sway. There are more communities of theoso- | bows at the back of the neck, and nine out of phists, vegetarians, Mennonites, Dunkards, every dozen fox-terriers and pugsare doing the same. Turquoise blue, magenta or Persian or Dresden ribbons are the favorites.

> The most frivologs of little capes-all ruffles and spangles-are designed for Spring and

they have hopes with this seclusion and vege- riding. They say that riding in the dust and

The French, ever alert, have been making asbestos towels, which, when soiled, are thrown into a red-hot fire, and after a few minutes are pulled out clean.

In some one of the recent novels it was remarked of one of the girls, a member of a house party consisting largely of Counts and Countesses and such, that she attacked the birds on her plate with more vigor than the hunter who had shot them; so the hero did not want to marry her, not withstanding all of her money. It is remarked upon simply because it is one more evidence of the fact that it is usually more or less unromantic to eat; we can almost sympathize with the girls who minee and neck and nibble away most delicately while they are at the table, and then consume a sandwich per dozen, or two in the cupboard afterwards to sustain life. Homely John Ridd, in Blackmore's remance, remarks particularly that he had never seen Lorna chew; it was a mark of her daintiness. Perhaps he was comparing her to the brawny peasant girls, and did not really mean that she never chewed, but only that she ate daintily. Byron somewhere testifies that a woman loses her charm when she eats, and Madame Roland believed so also, and would not eat before anyone. As most of us everyday shown in the cut. The one has a puckered folks have to eat our three meals a day, with a Harry Castlemon always writes a stirring Tam O'Shanter crown of straw and a fluted little candy between times and a cup of tea at from the world, nor is it quite desirable to pre-The feathers are brown, a bit of brown velvet | tend to eat at the table and then make up for ribbon and creamy lace is used to trim the it in the pantry; so it behooves us to consider well how we can make eating as dainty an achats and green ones are made in this shape, complishment as possible, and then after having formulated theories and rules, to carry ELSIE POMEROY MCELROY.



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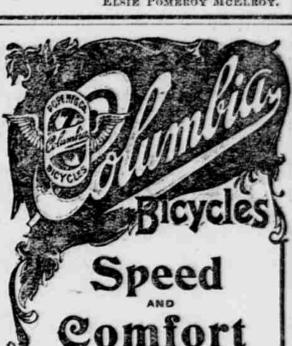
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